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## Congress of the United States

## House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-1501

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The Honorable Kay Granger Chair Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member Committee on Appropriations U.S. House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Four Mounds Foundation Workforce Training Center as a community project in fiscal year 2024.

The entity to receive the funding for this project is the Four Mounds Foundation, located at 4900 Peru Road, Dubuque, IA 52001.

This funding would aid in the construction of a workforce training center to facilitate a woodshop and classrooms to meet a critical community need for expanded job training and education space through the Four Mounds Foundation's Housing Education and Rehabilitation Training (HEART) Building Dubuque Program. The purpose of this investment is not only to give individuals the tools they need to succeed in the workforce, but also to assist in redeveloping low-income housing through renovation projects that put students' new skills to use. There is strong community support for this request.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C 5305(a)(4).

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Ashley Hinson

Member of Congress

Committee on Appropriations